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SUBJECT: FRENCH AID TO VIETNAM

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1. GVN DELEGATION LEFT SAIGON FOR PARIS NOVEMBER 13, TO DISCUSS PROPOSED FRENCH CREDIT OF 100 MILLION FRANCS THAT RESULTED FROM MISSOFFE MISSION IN JULY (REFTEL).

2. FRENCH HAD TOLD GVN THAT DELEGATION MUST ARRIVE BY NOVEMBER 15, IF CREDIT TO BE OBTAINED FROM 1973 BUDGET FUNDS. GVN ORIGINALLY SCHEDULED TO VIST PARIS IN SEPTEMBER, BUT TRIP POSTPONED SEVERAL TIMES.

3. GVN DELEGATION WILL BE LED BY NGUYEN TIEN HUNG, FORMER PROFESSOR AT HOWARD UNIVERSITY WHO RETURNED TO VIETNAM THIS SUMMER TO BE SPECIAL ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT FOR RECONSTRUCTION AND DEVELOPMENT.

4. TERMS AND USES OF PROPOSED CREDIT ARE TO BE NEGOTIATED IN PARIS, BUT WE UNDERSTAND TERMS SHOULD BE EASIER THAN THOSE CITED
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IN REF, I.E., 15 YEAR MATURITY AT 4 PERCENT. DECON 12/1/74

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